

# Yingkarta

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## 1 Language Information

- Source: Dench (1998)
- Glottlog: <http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/ying1247>
- ISO-identifier: yia
- Speakers:
- Location: Australia
- Geneology: Pama-Nyungan > South-Western Pama-Nyungan > Yinggarta

## 2 Nominal Morphology

Nominals are not inflected for number.

## 3 Verbal Morphology

There is no number morphology on the verb.

## 4 Conjunction

In Yingkarta, there is a consequential suffix *-thinya* that attaches to the verb from the subordinate clause and has roughly the meaning 'and'.

- (1) Maruputha nhaku, nganhula yanku nhanya-thinya-wara.  
tomorrow see.FUT 1plNOM go.FUT see-CONS-PURP  
'Tomorrow we'll see, we'll go and see.' [Dench, 1998, p. 68]
- (2) Marungkarta yana-purru-nu ngatha ngurta-thinya-wara.  
night go-PAST-AFF 1sgNOM lie-CONS-PURP  
'I went there for a night and camped.' [Dench, 1998, p. 68]

- (3) Ngatha-rna nginthirn-parri wapa-nma-rni thinha-yija, pika-piya-nhuru,  
 1sgNOM-1sgs cold-PROP come-IMP-F-HNC here-ALL sick-INCH-RELSS  
 nyintangu kurtu nhanya-thinya-wu.  
 2sgDAT also see-CONS-FUT  
 'I came here with a cold, getting sick, and to see you too.' [Dench, 1998, p. 69]
- (4) Yantaka-nu kampa-rinya-Ø kuku-wu!  
 go.IMP-AFF cook-CONS-Ø meat-DAT  
 'Go and cook meat!' [Dench, 1998, p. 69]

## 5 Disjunction

The marker of disjunction is the apprehensional suffix *-wurrangu* that attaches to the verb from the subordinate clause and has the meaning 'or'.

- (5) Kurra nyina-nyi kunya-ngka kampa-wurrangu.  
 not sit-PRES ashes-LOC be.burnt-APPR  
 'Don't sit on the ashes or you'll get burnt.' [Dench, 1998, p. 69]
- (6) Yinti-ya-rni warni-wurrangu.  
 descend-IMP-HNC fall-APPR  
 'Get down or you'll fall.' [Dench, 1998, p. 69]

## 6 Prepositions

No information given.

## References

Dench, Alan (1998). *Yingkarta*. München: Lincom Europa.